

# B.C. University Student Outcomes 2001 Survey of 1996 Baccalaureate Graduates

Detailed Summary of Survey Results

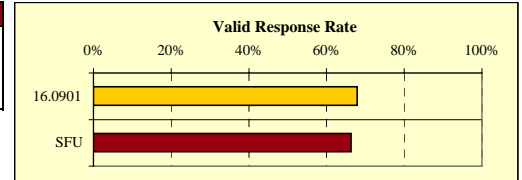
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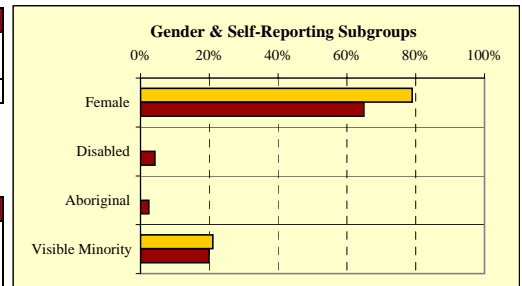
## RESPONSE RATE

1. Survey Response Rate:	16.0901	SFU
Baccalaureate Graduates Survey Cohort	30	2,373
Net Frame	28	2,219
Survey Respondents and Valid Response Rate	19      68%	1,472      66%



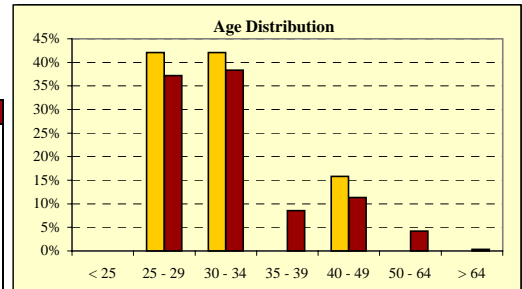
## DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

2. Gender:	16.0901	SFU
Male	4      21%	516      35%
Female	15      79%	956      65%
Total	19      100%	1,472      100%

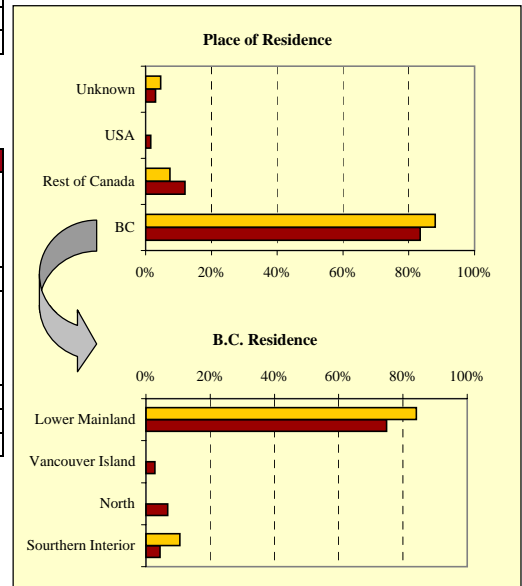


3. Self-Reporting Subgroups:	16.0901	SFU
Disabled	-      0%	62      4%
Aboriginal	-      0%	35      2%
Visible Minority	4      21%	293      20%

4. Age (at time of survey):	16.0901	SFU
< 25	-      0%	-      0%
25 to 29	8      42%	548      37%
30 to 34	8      42%	564      38%
35 to 39	-      0%	126      9%
40 to 49	3      16%	167      11%
50 to 64	-      0%	62      4%
> 64	-      0%	5      0%
Unknown	-      0%	-      0%
Total	19      100%	1,472      100%
Mean Age:	32.2	33.2



5. Place of Residence (at time of survey):	16.0901	SFU
BC - Lower Mainland	16      84%	1,103      75%
BC - Vancouver Island	-      0%	41      3%
BC - North	-      0%	100      7%
BC - Southern Interior	2      11%	65      4%
B.C. Subtotal	18      95%	1,309      89%
Canada - Alberta	-      0%	44      3%
Canada - Ontario	1      5%	38      3%
Canada - Other	-      0%	11      1%
U.S.A.	-      0%	36      2%
Non-B.C. Subtotal	1      5%	129      9%
Unknown	-      0%	34      2%
Total	19      100%	1,472      100%



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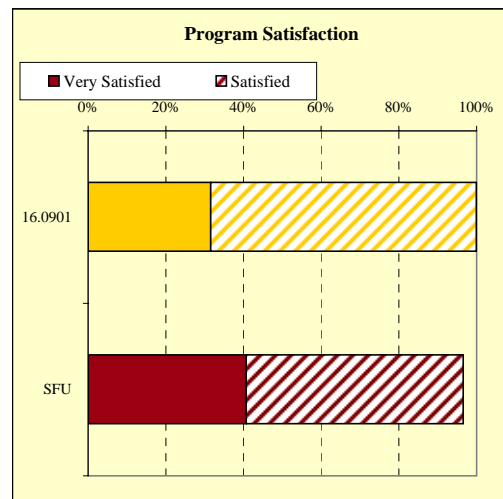
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EDUCATION SATISFACTION & PROGRAM EVALUATION

6. Program Satisfaction:	16.0901		SFU	
Very Satisfied	6	32%	597	41%
Satisfied	13	68%	822	56%
Dissatisfied	-	0%	43	3%
Very Dissatisfied	-	0%	6	0%
Total	19	100%	1,468	100%

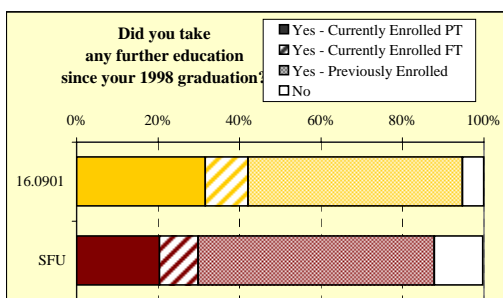


7. Would you select the same program again?	16.0901		SFU	
Yes	13	76%	1,082	75%
No, because . . . (multiple response question)	4		353	
. . . not enough course variety offered	-	0%*	10	2%*
. . . skills acquired were not very useful	-	0%*	48	10%*
. . . courses were poorly taught	-	0%*	3	1%*
. . . program was too general	-	0%*	52	11%*
. . . courses were not practical	1	20%*	52	11%*
. . . interests have changed	1	20%*	80	17%*
. . . little or no career opportunities	1	20%*	137	29%*
. . . disagree with grading system	-	0%*	-	0%*
. . . disliked institution	-	0%*	2	0%*
. . . other	2	40%*	92	19%*

\* Percent of total responses, among those who would not take program again

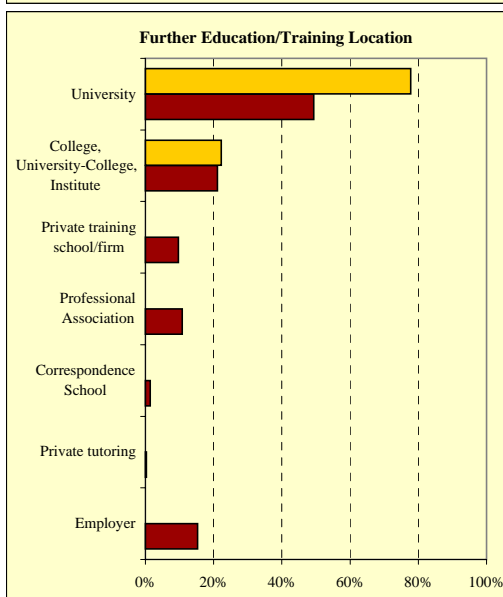
FURTHER EDUCATION

8. Took further education since 1996 graduation?	16.0901		SFU	
Yes:	18	95%	1,296	88%
Not currently enrolled	10	53%	854	58%
Currently enrolled full-time	2	11%	140	10%
Currently enrolled part-time	6	32%	299	20%
No	1	5%	176	12%
Total	19	100%	1,472	100%



9. Further education/training location (multiple resp.):*	16.0901		SFU	
University	14	78%*	640	49%*
College, University-College, Institute	4	22%*	273	21%*
Private training school/firm	-	0%*	125	10%*
Professional Association	-	0%*	140	11%*
Correspondence School	-	0%*	18	1%*
Private Tutoring	-	0%*	4	0%*
Employer	-	0%*	198	15%*
Other	1	6%*	40	3%*
Total Respondents	18		1,296	

\* Percent of respondents



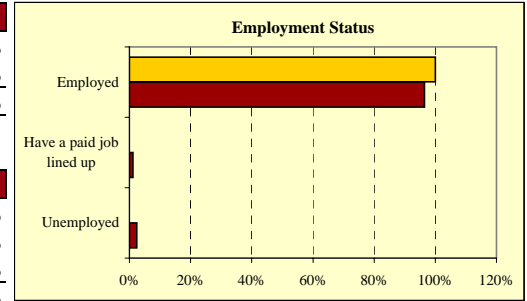
10. Main Reason for Further Education:	16.0901		SFU	
Pursue another Bachelor degree	-	0%	75	5%
Pursue Masters studies	4	21%	128	9%
Pursue Doctoral studies	-	0%	29	2%
Career / job / employment related	9	47%	919	64%
Challenge myself intellectually	4	21%	133	9%
To please parents/family	-	0%	-	0%
Did not have a primary/main reason for enrolling	-	0%	3	0%
Required by employer	1	5%	45	3%
Other	1	5%	101	7%
Total	19	100%	1,433	100%

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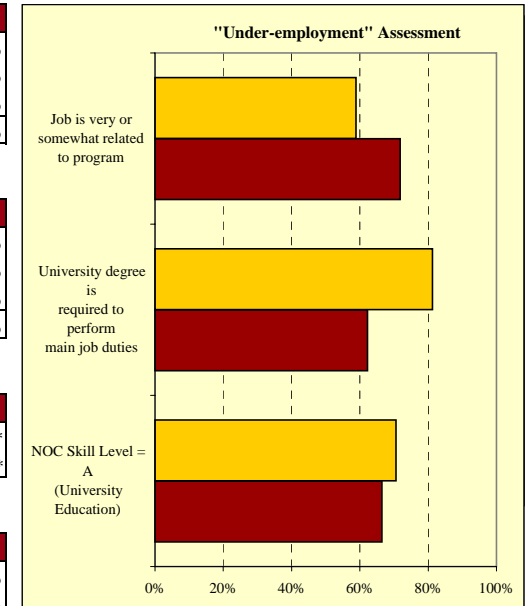
**EMPLOYMENT**

11. Labour Force Status:	16.0901		SFU	
In Labour Force (working or seeking work)	17	89%	1,347	92%
Not in Labour Force	2	11%	125	8%
Grand Total	19	100%	1,472	100%



12. Employment Status of those IN Labour Force:	16.0901		SFU	
Employed	17	100%	1,299	96%
Have a paid job lined up	-	0%	15	1%
Unemployed	-	0%	33	2%
Total Labour Force	17	100%	1,347	100%

13. Status of Graduates NOT in Labour Force:	16.0901		SFU	
Attending School FT	1	50%	46	37%
Attending School PT	-	0%	7	6%
Other	1	50%	72	58%
Total NOT in Labour Force	2	100%	125	100%



14. Employment Type:	16.0901		SFU	
Paid worker	16	94%	1,140	88%
Self-employed	-	0%	93	7%
Both a paid worker and self-employed	1	6%	66	5%
Total Employed	17	100%	1,299	100%

15. Job Characteristics:	16.0901		SFU	
I hold more than one job	2	12%*	181	14%*
My main job is full-time (>= 30 hours per week)	17	100%**	1,092	86%**

\* of total employed      \*\* of those who provided data on hours/week worked

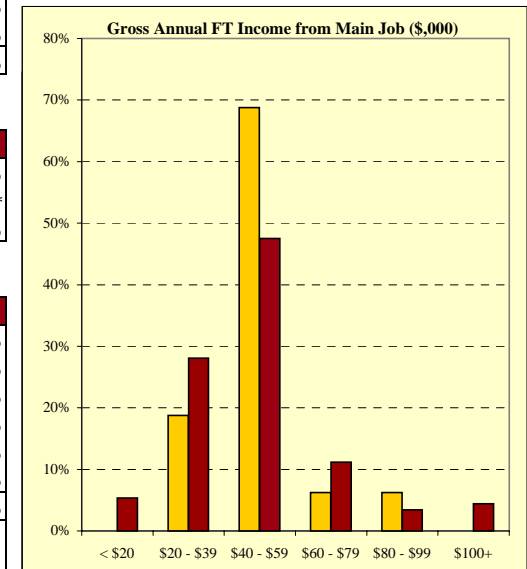
16. How related is your main job to your program?:	16.0901		SFU	
Very Related	7	41%	524	40%
Somewhat Related	3	18%	408	31%
Not Very Related	2	12%	178	14%
Not At All Related	5	29%	189	15%
Total	17	100%	1,299	100%

17. "Under-employment" Assessment:	16.0901		SFU	
Job is very or somewhat related to program	10	59%	932	72%
University degree is required to perform main job duties	13	81%*	773	62%*
NOC Skill Level = A (University Education)	12	71%	857	66%

\* of total valid responses

18. Gross Annual Income from Main Job:*	16.0901		SFU	
Less than \$20,000	-	0%	64	5%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	3	19%	336	28%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	11	69%	569	48%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1	6%	134	11%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1	6%	41	3%
\$100,000 and Above	-	0%	53	4%
Total	16	100%	1,197	100%
Median Annual Income (full-time)	\$43,900		\$45,000	
Average Annual Income (full-time)	\$46,043		\$52,038	

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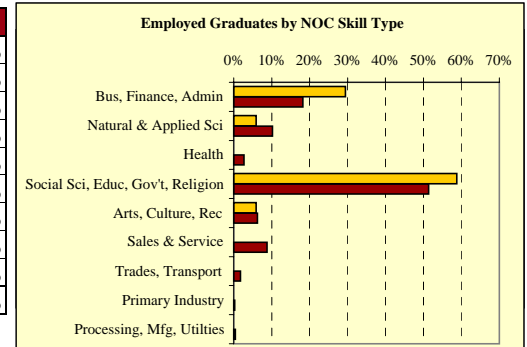


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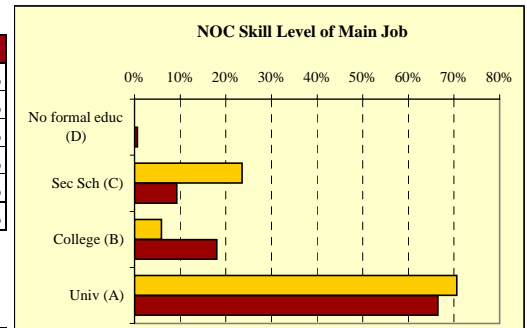
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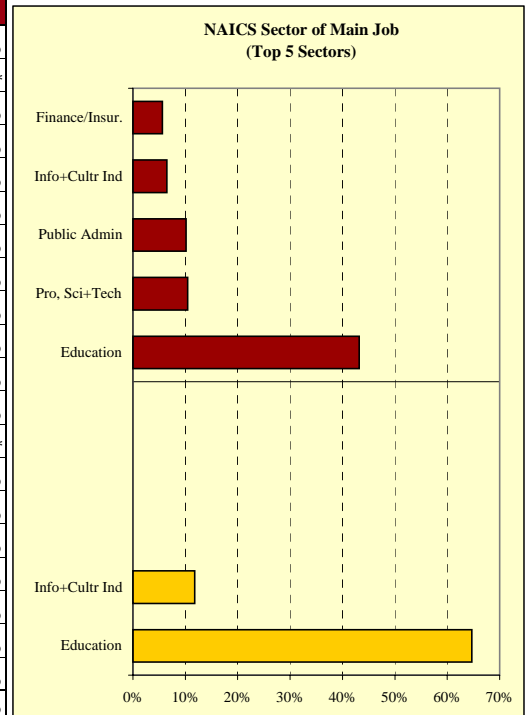
19. NOC Skill Type of Main Job:	16.0901	SFU
Business, Finance and Administration	5 29%	234 18%
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related	1 6%	131 10%
Health	- 0%	35 3%
Social Sciences, Educ., Gov't Services, Religion	10 59%	659 51%
Arts, Culture, Recreation and Sport	1 6%	80 6%
Sales and Service	- 0%	113 9%
Trades, Transport and Eqp. Operators and Related	- 0%	23 2%
Unique to the Primary Industry	- 0%	3 0%
Unique to Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	- 0%	5 0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>17 100%</b>	<b>1,283 100%</b>



20. NOC Skill Level of Main Job:	16.0901	SFU
A. University education	12 71%	857 66%
B. College education/trade apprenticeship	1 6%	232 18%
C. Secondary school + job-specific training	4 24%	119 9%
D. No formal education	- 0%	8 1%
No Skill Level assigned (management)	- 0%	73 6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>17 100%</b>	<b>1,289 100%</b>



21. NAICS Sector of Main Job:	16.0901	SFU
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	* *	5 0%
Mining and Oil and Gas Extraction	* *	* *
Utilities	* *	7 1%
Construction	* *	11 1%
Manufacturing	* *	50 4%
Wholesale Trade	* *	17 1%
Retail Trade	* *	36 3%
Transportation and Warehousing	* *	21 2%
Information and Cultural Industries	2 12%	83 6%
Finance and Insurance	* *	72 6%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	* *	14 1%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	* *	134 10%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	* *	* *
Admin., Support, Waste Mgmt., Remediation Svcs.	* *	12 1%
Education Services	11 65%	554 43%
Health Care and Social Assistance	* *	60 5%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	* *	24 2%
Accommodation and Food services	* *	22 2%
Other Service (except Public Administration)	* *	30 2%
Public Administration	* *	130 10%
<b>Total</b>	<b>17 100%</b>	<b>1283 100%</b>



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**EMPLOYMENT, continued**

**22a. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of 16.0901 Graduates:**

			16.0901	
NOC	NOC	Skill Level Description	% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary
4141	A	Secondary School Teachers	41%	\$43,000
4142	A	Elem & Kindergarten Teacher	18%	\$44,500
1441	C	Administrative Clerks	12%	\$34,500
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**22b. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of Graduates from Simon Fraser University:**

			SFU	
NOC	NOC	Skill Level Description	% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary
4142	A	Elem & Kindergarten Teacher	17%	\$42,000
4141	A	Secondary School Teachers	13%	\$42,000
1111	A	Financial Auditors & Acnts	3%	\$58,250
2173	A	Software Engineers	2%	\$75,000
1122	A	Occs in Bus Svcs to Mgmt	2%	\$64,300
5124	A	Occs in Public Relations & Comm	2%	\$45,000
4112	A	Lawyers & Quebec Notaries	1%	\$70,000
4212	B	Community & Social Srvc Workers	1%	\$40,020
0611	N/A	Sales, Marketing & Advrt Managers	1%	\$67,500
1114	A	Other Financial Officers	1%	\$49,750

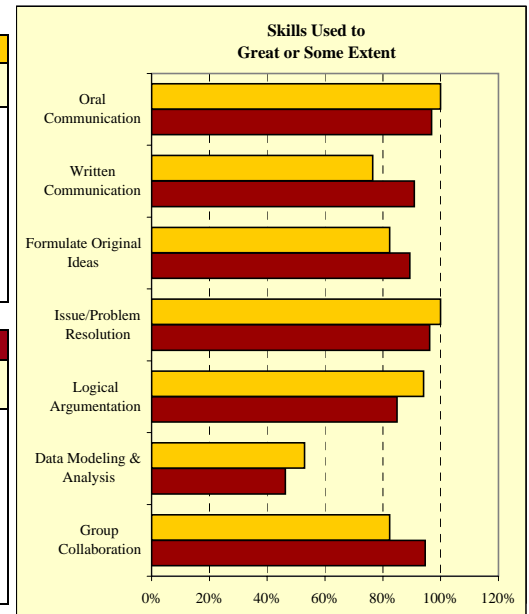
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**SKILLS USED IN EMPLOYMENT**

**23a. To what extent do you use [the following skills] in your main job?**

	16.0901				# Resp.
	Great Extent	Some Extent	Small Extent	No Extent	
Oral Communication	88%	12%	0%	0%	17
Written Communication	59%	18%	18%	6%	17
Formulate Original Ideas	53%	29%	12%	6%	17
Issue/Problem Resolution	82%	18%	0%	0%	17
Logical Argumentation	47%	47%	0%	6%	17
Data Modeling & Analysis	18%	35%	35%	12%	17
Group Collaboration	82%	0%	6%	12%	17



**23b. To what extent do you use [the following skills] in your main job?**

	SFU				# Resp.
	Great Extent	Some Extent	Small Extent	No Extent	
Oral Communication	82%	15%	2%	1%	1,298
Written Communication	69%	21%	6%	3%	1,298
Formulate Original Ideas	54%	35%	8%	3%	1,297
Issue/Problem Resolution	77%	19%	3%	1%	1,298
Logical Argumentation	52%	33%	12%	3%	1,296
Data Modeling & Analysis	20%	26%	27%	27%	1,294
Group Collaboration	77%	18%	4%	1%	1,297

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**EDUCATION FINANCING**

24. Education Funding Sources (2 sources per respondent):	16.0901		SFU	
Personal Savings	2	11%*	229	16%*
Employment	13	68%*	885	60%*
Family/Friends	7	37%*	545	37%*
Bank Loans	-	0%*	21	1%*
Student Loans	7	37%*	528	36%*
Scholarships/Bursaries/Grants	2	11%*	166	11%*
Other	-	0%*	30	2%*
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>19</b>		<b>1,472</b>	

\*Percentage of respondents who identified this source

25. Financial Debt Incurred to Finance Univ. Education:	16.0901		SFU	
Incurred any form of financial debt	7	37%*	654	46%*
Incurred government-sponsored student loan debt	6	33%*	541	38%*

\*Percentage of respondents who provided data

26. Financial Debt Amount:*	16.0901		SFU	
< \$1,000	-	0%	3	0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	-	0%	68	10%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1	14%	128	20%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	3	43%	119	18%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1	14%	57	9%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1	14%	139	21%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1	14%	76	12%
\$40,000 or More	-	0%	64	10%
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Median Financial Debt</b>	<b>\$12,000</b>		<b>\$15,000</b>	

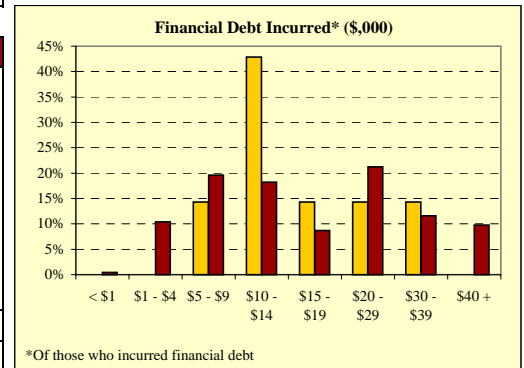
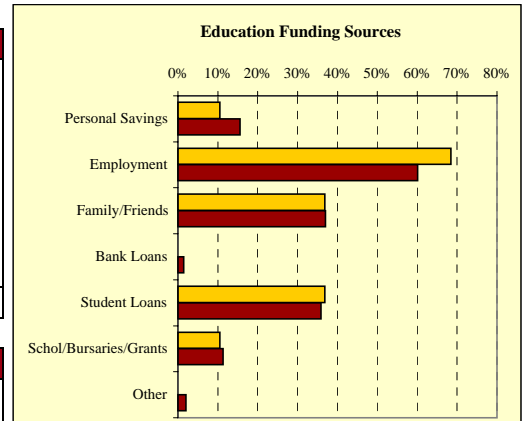
\*includes only cases where financial debt was incurred

27. Government-Sponsored Student Loan Debt Amount:*	16.0901		SFU	
< \$1,000	-	0%	2	0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	-	0%	54	10%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2	33%	108	20%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	2	33%	101	19%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1	17%	68	13%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	-	0%	139	26%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1	17%	53	10%
\$40,000 or More	-	0%	16	3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Median Gov't-Sponsored Student Loan Debt</b>	<b>\$11,000</b>		<b>\$15,000</b>	

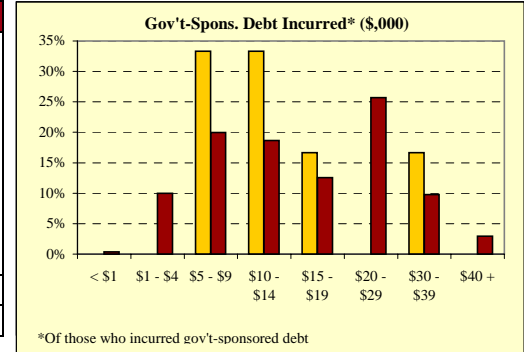
\*includes only cases where government-sponsored debt was incurred

28. Outstanding Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Amount:*	16.0901		SFU	
None - Loan repaid in full	2	33%	179	36%
< \$1,000	-	0%	10	2%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1	17%	61	12%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2	33%	75	15%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	-	0%	73	15%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1	17%	38	8%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	-	0%	51	10%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	-	0%	12	2%
\$40,000 or More	-	0%	3	1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Median Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Outstanding</b>	<b>\$6,000</b>		<b>\$5,000</b>	

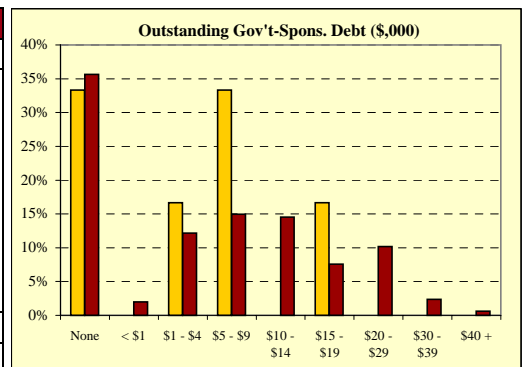
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\*Of those who incurred financial debt



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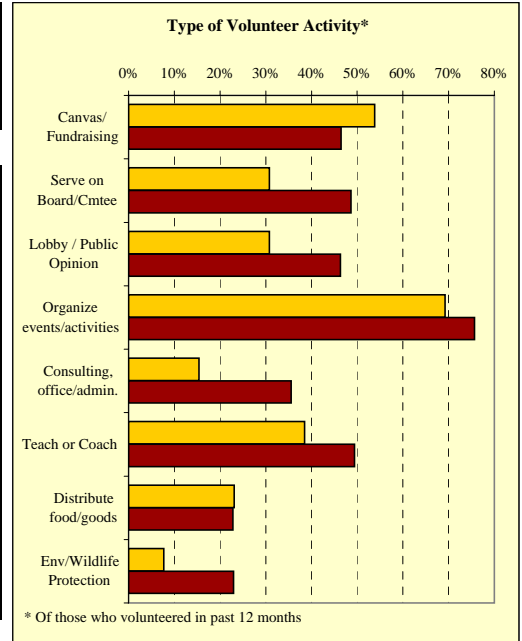
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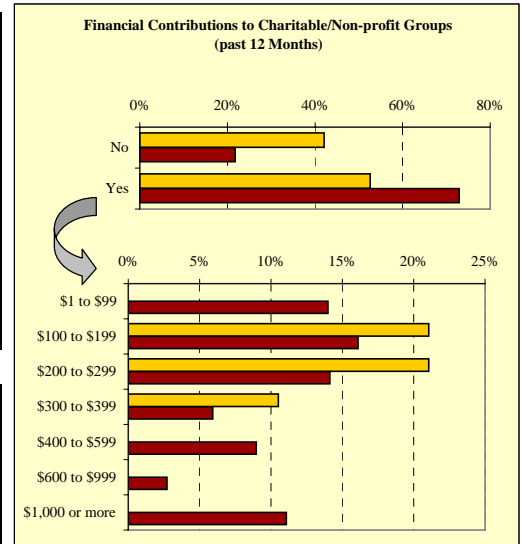
29. In the past 12 months, have you acted as an unpaid volunteer?	16.0901		SFU	
No	6	32%	585	40%
Yes	13	68%	872	60%
Volunteer Hours/Week (Median)	2		1	

30. In the past 12 months, as an unpaid volunteer for an organization did you...	16.0901		SFU	
do any canvassing, campaigning or fundraising?	7	54%*	405	46%*
serve as an unpaid member of a board or committee?	4	31%*	424	49%*
provide information or help to educate, influence public opinion, or lobby others?	4	31%*	404	46%*
help to organize/supervise activities/events for an organization?	9	69%*	660	76%*
do any consulting, executive, office or administrative work?	2	15%*	310	36%*
teach or coach for an organization?	5	38%*	431	49%*
collect, serve or deliver food or other goods?	3	23%*	199	23%*
engage in any activities aimed at protecting the environment or wildlife?	1	8%*	200	23%*

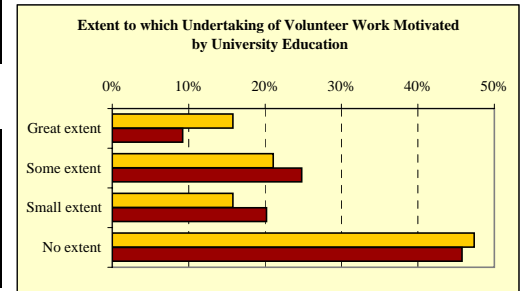
\*percentages are of those who have acted as an unpaid volunteer in the past 12 months



31. Financial contributions to charitable or non-profit groups in past 12 months	16.0901		SFU	
\$0 (None)	8	42%	320	22%
\$1 to \$99	-	0%	206	14%
\$100 to \$199	4	21%	237	16%
\$200 to \$299	4	21%	208	14%
\$300 to \$399	2	11%	87	6%
\$400 to \$599	-	0%	132	9%
\$600 to \$999	-	0%	40	3%
\$1,000 or more	-	0%	163	11%
Median Annual Contribution	\$200		\$200	



32. Member or Participant in...	16.0901		SFU	
Union/Professional Association (work-related)	13	68%	970	66%
Political organization	1	5%	76	5%
Cultural, educational or hobby organization	5	26%	493	33%
Sports or recreation organization	6	32%	627	43%
Religious-affiliated group	2	11%	282	19%
School group, civic, or community association	7	37%	418	28%
Other	2	11%	108	7%



33. To what extent did your university education motivate you to undertake volunteer work?	16.0901		SFU	
Great extent	3	16%*	132	9%*
Some extent	4	21%*	355	25%*
Small extent	3	16%*	289	20%*
No extent	9	47%*	655	46%*

\*percentages are of those who thought question was applicable